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Applicant

: James W. Coiner

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Application No. : 10/016,071

Filed

: December 5, 2001

Title

: HYBRID TEA ROSE PLANT NAMED 'BRONZE SUNSET'

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Examiner

: Howard J. Locker

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Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated November 25, 2003 for three month(s) from February 25, 2004 to May 25, 2004.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 55	\$ 110	\$0
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$ 210	\$ 420	\$0
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$ 475	\$ 950	\$475
WITHIN FOURTH MONTH	\$ 740	\$1480	\$0
WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$1005	\$2010	\$0

Submitted herewith is a check for \$475.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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